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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Dear Sirs,

In response to the Office Action dated April 30, 2004, please find the relevant paper in response to paper No. 0404. Following the fax transmission, a hard copy via courier will also be forwarded to the Office.

Enclosed documents via courier will include:

- Response to Restriction Requirement in (1) pages
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I believe that no fee is incurred. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required in connection with the filing of this paper to account No. 50-2620 (Order No.: 11422-US-PA)

Thank you for your assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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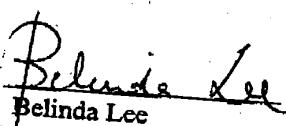
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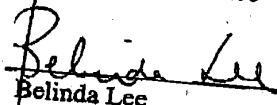
Dear Sirs,

In response to the Office Action, mailed on April 30, 2004, Applicant would like to elect Group I, claims 1-10, drawn to a semiconductor device, classified in class 257, subclass 314. Please cancel Group II, claims 11-20, drawn to a process for making a semiconductor device, classified in class 438, subclass 14+ without waiver, prejudice or disclaimer.

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